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CONFIRMATION NO. 4964

GROUP ART UNIT: 3621

EXAMINER: Calvin L. Hewitt II

In re application of: Baum et al.

SERIAL NO.: 09/394,840

FILED: September 13, 1999

TITLE: "METHOD FOR DATA INPUT INTO A SERVICE DEVICE AND ARRANGEMENT FOR THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE METHOD"

AMENDMENT "E"

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Commissioner for Patents

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SIR:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

☒ No additional fee is required.

The fee has been calculated as shown below.

CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
	(2) CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		(4) HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	(5) PRESENT EXTRA	(6) RATE	(7) ADDITIONAL FEE
TOTAL CLAIMS	*20	MINUS	20	X	() X 9.00 () X 18.00	
INDEP. CLAIMS	*2	MINUS	3	X	() X 40.00 () X 80.00	
Application amended to contain any multiple dependent claims not previously paid for.				() YES () NO	() \$135.00 () \$270.00 ONE TIME	
				TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT		\$0.00

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☐ A check in the amount of \$_____ is attached.

☐ A check for \$_____ accompanying IDS under 37 CFR 1.97(c) is attached

☐ A check for \$_____ and Petition for Consideration of IDS under 37 CFR 1.97(d) is attached.

☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or to credit any overpayment to account No. 501519. A duplicate of this sheet is enclosed.

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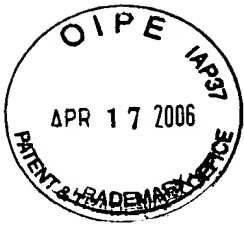
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SIR:

In response to the Office Action dated February 6, 2006, Applicants herewith
amend the application as follows.